Sl.No.	*Name of State/U.T.*	*Target*
18.	West Bengal(including Sikkim Andaman and Nicobar Islands)	1830,
19	Delhi (U.T)	145
	Total:	1,88,202

Indo-Sri Lankan efforts to Meet Challenges from LTTE

* 814. SHRI CHITA BASU: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any efforts have been made by India and Sri Lanka to meet the challenges from LTTE, particularly after the assassination of the former Prime Minister, Rajiv Gandhi; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the results achieved so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO):(a) and (b). There is no proposal far a joint Indo-Sri Lanka effort visa-vis the LTTE. However, Government of Sri Lanka continues to extend its fullest cooperation to the Government of India in the investigation into the assassination of the former Prime Minister, Rajiv Gandhi.

[*Translation*]

Opening of post offices in all Gram Panchayats of Bihar.

6789. SHRI SIMON MARANDI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state":

(a) whether the Government are formulating any long term scheme to open post offices in all the Gram Panchayats of Bihar;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether 'Dak and Dak materials' are delivered once in three to four days in various post Offices in Sahibganj district; and

(d) if so, the action proposed to be taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) No sir. No such proposal is under consideration.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) and (d). Out of 15 Sub Post Offices in Sahibganj district, there is daily delivery of mails in areas served by 13 sub Post Offices. However, in the areas served by 2 Sub Post Offices namely, Hiranpur and Amarapara, there used to be delivery of mail twice a week during the period from December, 89 to July, 91 mainly due the shortage of Bihar State Road Transport corporation fleet. This, however, has now been streamlined and since 1.8.91, daily delivery of mails in these area has also been assured,

[*English*]

Functioning of Sub-Registrar and Stamp Collector Offices in Delhi

6790. SHRI MADAN LAL KHURANA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state: